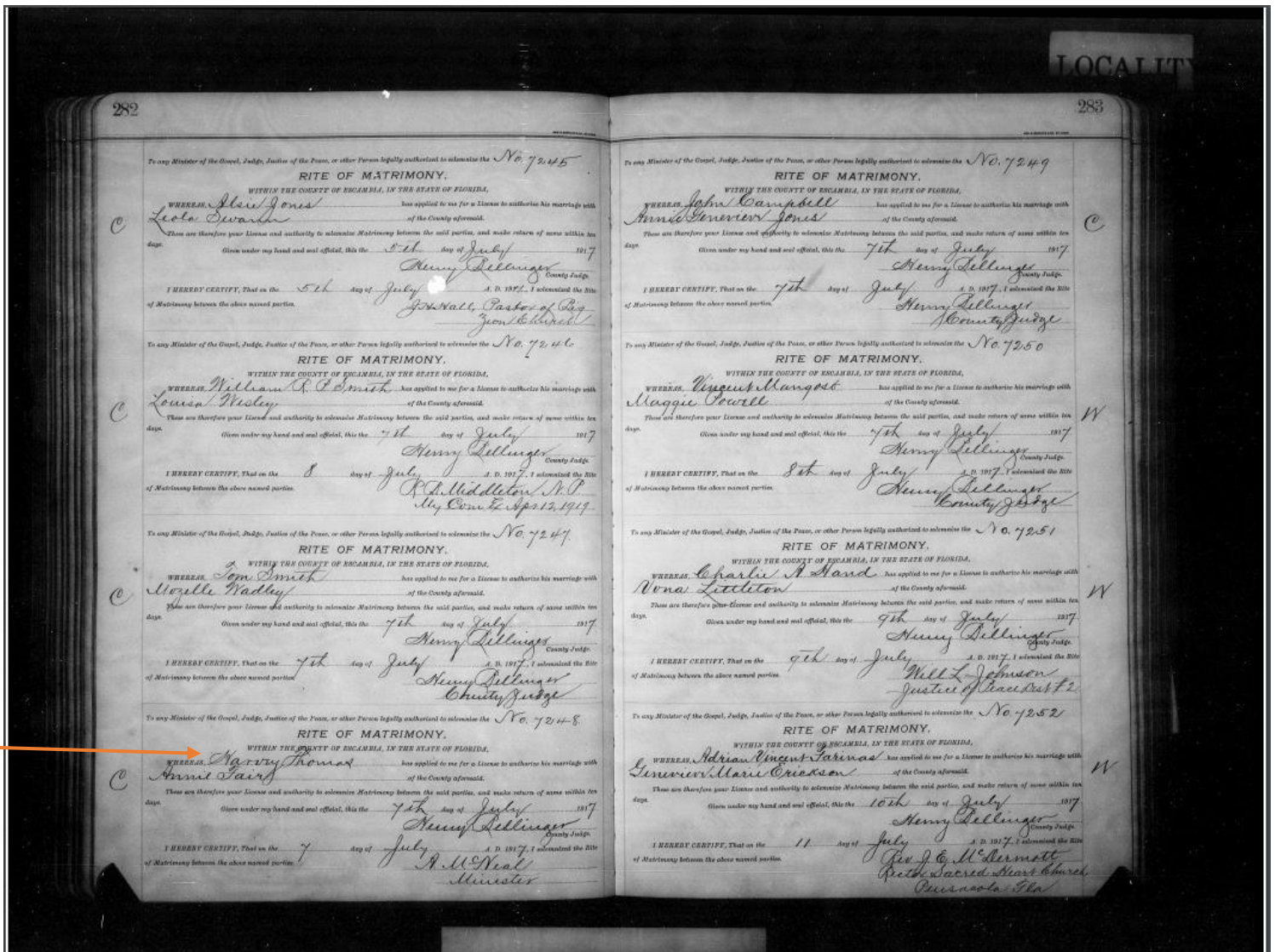


## **Harvey Thomas (1891(?)-1941) World War I**

Harvey Thomas served in the Cooks Detachment of the Quartermaster Corps and as a Cook in the Company A, 438<sup>th</sup> Reserve Labor Battalion in World War I. Born in Evergreen, Alabama, he was living in Pensacola, Florida, prior to his military service. Afterwards, he returned to Pensacola to live with his family. Thomas died in 1941 and is buried in the Saint Augustine National Cemetery.



“Harvey Thomas.” 1917 Marriage License.

Harvey Thomas married Annie Fair on July 7, 1917.

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When completed to be mailed by  
Military Authorities to the Provost  
Marshal General, Washington, D. C.

ESCAMBIA COUNTY,  
LOCAL BOARD.

OK 9-1-4  
Escambia, Fla.

JUL 23 1918 SHEET No. 4

Date, April 25, 1918

The selected men herein described, having been inducted into military service on April 25, 1918  
have this date been entrained for Camp Johnson, Fla.  
(Date.) (Camp or Station.)

This statement consists of 2 sheets.

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1 Order No.	2 Serial No.	3 NAME.	4 Call No.	5 Primary Industry.	6 Classification.					7 Failed to report to Military Authorities.
					I	II	III	IV	V	
✓ 1949	X 2876	Joe Watkins	150	Laborer	A					
✓ 1950	X 2873	Sam Tolbert	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2006	X 2924	Lucius McMillan,	"	Baker	A					
✓ 2022	X 751	George Jones,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2028	X 615	W. M. Springer,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2075	X 284	John Cooper,	"	Timber worker	A					
✓ 2086	X 2062	Archie Hannon,	"	Butler	A					
✓ 2092	X 1653	William T. Jones,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2107	X 2982	Calvin Duggan,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2115	X 2353	Rufus James Masike	"	Barrel Maker	A					
✓ 2120	X 1725	Henry Reeds,	"	Saw Mill wk	A					
✓ 2138	X 1597	Bishop Williams	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2161	X 2568	Cleveland Jackson, (Inducted from Pittsburg )								
✓ 2179	X 1734	Henry McMillan,	"	Teamster	A					
✓ 2224	X 2393	George Taylor,	"	Tailor	A					
✓ 2285	X 991	Joseph Ashwood,	"	Chauffeur	A					
✓ 2324	X 2246	Zennie Wilmer,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2331	X 2371	Eddie Jackson,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2340	X 3295	Willie Robinson,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2376	X 2026	Claude Spears, ( Inducted from Chicago )			A					
✓ 2450	X 2026	Ruby Haywood,	"	Farmer	A					
✓ 2482	X 2459	Nelson McKelvin,	"	Laborer	A					
✓ 2501	X 2516	Micell Bryant	"	Farmer	A					
✓ 2534	X 1312	Frank Collins	"	Farmer	A					
✓ 2565	X 3097	Harvey Thomas,	"	Cook	A					

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“Harvey Thomas.” List of Men Ordered to Report.

Thomas Sent to Report at Camp Johnson, Florida.

Occupation listed as cook.



Form 1		REGISTRATION CARD		No. 141
1	Name in full	Harvey Thomas	2565	Age in yrs. 25
2	Home address	516 W. La Rua	Pensacola	Fla.
3	Date of birth	April - 27 -	1892	
4	Are you (1) a natural born citizen, (2) a naturalized citizen, (3) an alien, (4) or have you declared your intention (specify which)?	Natural born		
5	Where was you born	Evergreen	Alabama	USA
6	If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject?			
7	What is your present trade, occupation, or office?	Waiter		
8	By whom employed?	Bay Hotel		
9	Have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12, or a sister or brother under 12, solely dependent on you for support (specify which)?	No		
10	Married or single (which)?	Single	Race (specify which)?	Negro
11	What military service have you had? Rank		branch	
12	Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds)?	No		
I affirm that I have verified above answers and that they are true.				
		2565	Harvey Thomas	(Signature of maker)

“Harvey Thomas.” WWI Draft Registration Card. (Front)

Born in Evergreen, Alabama.

Worked as a waiter at the Bay Hotel prior to enlistment.



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REGISTRAR'S REPORT **9-1-4.A**

1	Tall, medium, or short (specify which)? <u>Med</u>	Slender, medium, or stout (which)? <u>Med</u>
2	Color of eyes? <u>Brown</u>	Color of hair? <u>Black</u> Bald? <u>No</u>
3	Has person lost arm, leg, hand, foot, or both eyes, or is he otherwise disabled (specify)? <u>One bad finger</u>	

I certify that my answers are true, that the person registered has read his own answers, that I have witnessed his signature, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

R. B. Hargis  
(Signature of Registrar)

Precinct 34  
City or County Escambia  
State Florida

6/5/17  
(Date of registration)

Local Board of  
Escambia County  
June 5, 1917

“Harvey Thomas.” WWI Draft Registration Card. (Back)

Registered in Escambia County on June 5, 1917.

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Thomas, Harvey 789,331 \* White \* Colored.  
 (Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number)

Residence: 516 W LaRue St Pensacola FLORIDA  
 (Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

\* Enlisted in U.S. Army \* Inducted at Pensacola Fla on Apr 25 1918  
 Place of birth: Evergreen Ala Age or date of birth: Apr 27/91  
 Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers: \_\_\_\_\_  
Q-1 to Oct 9/18; Co A 438 Mes Lab Bn to disch  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Grades, with date of appointment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ck Nov 15/18  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Engagements: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.  
 Served overseas from † No to †, from † to †  
 Honorably discharged on demobilization Dec 29/18, 19\_\_\_\_\_  
 In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported 0 per cent disabled.  
 Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Form No. 724-1, A. G. O. \* Strike out words not applicable. † Dates of departure from and arrival in the U. S.  
 Nov. 22, 1919. 16-7362

“Harvey Thomas.” WWI Service Card.

Quartermaster Corps until October 8, 1918; Company A, 438<sup>th</sup>

Reserve Labor Battalion until discharge.

Promoted to the rank of Cook on November 15, 1918.

Honorably discharged on December 29, 1918.



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Interment in the St. Augustine National Cemetery

To—The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

NAME			RANK	COMPANY	REGIMENT OR VESSEL			DIVISION, IF WORLD WAR SOLDIER
					Number	State	Arm	
Thomas, Harvey - 789331			Cook	Quartermaster Corps		Fla		Camp Johnston, Fla. NONE

DATE OF DEATH			DATE OF INTERMENT			GRAVE MARK		REMARKS Date of discharge and number of Pension Certificate, Disinterments, etc.
Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	Section	Grave No.	
April	30	1941	May	5	1941	D	6	Enlisted April 25, 1918 Discharged December 28, 1919. Authority - Telegram from OQMG. dated May 2, 1941 file QM 293 Mem-N Thomas, Harvey (789331).

Shipping point for headstones St. Augustine, Florida

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(See Instructions on Reverse Side)

JUL 15 1941 TATE, GA.

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*James W. Dell*  
Superintendent.  
6/10/41

“Harvey Thomas.” Interment Card.

St. Augustine National Cemetery.





“Harvey Thomas.” Headstone.  
St. Augustine National Cemetery.

## Harvey Thomas

Florida Death Index, 1877-1998

Tools

Affiliate CD Number:	FDI03
Certificate Number:	7803
Volume Number:	941
Name:	Harvey Thomas
Event Type:	Death
Event Date:	1941
Event Place:	Columbia, Florida, United States
Gender:	Male
Race:	Black
Affiliate File Name:	FDI03-1941.txt
Affiliate Line Number:	22081

“Harvey Thomas.” Death Index.

Death of Harvey Thomas in 1941.

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